

Who Owns The Network News

GENERAL ELECTRIC

SPORTS

(all owned 25% w/29% AT&T and 46% CABLEVISION)
Madison Square Garden Arena and Theater; Management and operation of Hartford Civic Center; New York Knicks, New York Rangers, New York Liberty, New England Seawolves, New England Seawolves, Hartford Wolfpack

MOVIE THEATRES

Clearview Cinema Group (owned 25% w/29% ATT and 46% CABLE VISION)

LIVE VENUES

World Wrestling Federation (3% w/3% Viacom)

WEB

NBC Internet Inc. (47.3% w/38.8% Xoom.com and 13.8% CNET Inc.) includes Snap, NBC.com, NBC-IN.com, VideoSeeker, CNBC.com (10%)

OTHER SITES

Salon.com (10%) Launch Media (11% w/Sony and others) provides downloadable music, iVillage, Inc. (w/AOL/TV, AT&T, Tenet Healthcare Corp.) site for women; Autobytel.com Inc. (9.5%), iXL Enterprises, Inc. (9.4%); Interactive Pictures Corporation (5.75% w/Motorola, AT&T, and Lee Martin) interactive photography technology; GE Cisco Industrial Networks (w/Cisco Systems) software, hardware and data systems design; Talk City, Inc. (joint venture) www.talkcity.com; Telescan (13.9% investment analysis tools, stock market data; Internter Inc. (w/Comcast, Intel, Microsoft) Pay-per-view TV; SellCare.com (about 80% with ValueVision) online women's health magazine; American POP! (25% w/75% Cablevision); Teleticity (About 80% w/Value Vision); LoudEye Technologies, Inc. (w/Microsoft, AOL/TV and Amazon.com) digital media management; Ralph Lauren Media (50% WPOLO RALPH LAUREN MEDIA) sales of Ralph Lauren products via Internet, TV and print. Other new media: CNBC-Dow Jones Business Video Service, NBC Desktop Video, NBC Data Network, NBC Digital Publishing, NBC Interactive Neighborhood, and NBC SuperNet

PLASTICS

For cars, computers, compact disks, appliances and construction materials

SATELLITES

GE Americom operates 13 communications satellites

CABLE

A&E, History Channel, and Biography Channel (all 25% /37.5% Disney and 37.5% Hearst); Snap TV (80%); National Geographic Channel (25% w/ News Corp 50% and National Geographic Society 25%); American Movie Classics, Bravo, Romance Classics, and Independent Film Channel (all 25% w/29% ATT and 46% CABLE VISION); Much Music (12.5% w/23% Cablevision and 14.5% ATT and 50% Canadian media firm CHUM LTD); Regional sports channels with News Corporation and Cablevision (through regional programming partners);

TV STATIONS

WVTM Birmingham, AL
KNBC Los Angeles, CA
KNND, San Diego, CA
WVIT, Hartford, CT
WTVS, Miami, FL
WMAQ, Chicago, IL
WCMH, Columbus, OH
WNBC, New York, NY
WNCN, Raleigh-Durham, NC
WCAU, Philadelphia, PA
WJAR, Providence, RI
KXAS, Dallas, TX
WRC, Washington, D.C.

TV PRODUCTION

NBC Productions, Radio City Television, Bravo Original Programming, IFC Productions, Next Wave Films (all owned 25% w/29% ATT and 46% CABLE VISION)

BANKING AND FINANCE

Mortgages, home equity and commercial real estate loans; car dealers and aircraft operators, car dealers, manufacturers, financing companies and their customers in the US, UK, Ireland, Portugal, France, Spain, Italy, Sweden and Denmark; handles credit card operations for retailers, including application processing, sales authorization, customer services and collection services in the US, UK, Austria, France, Ireland, Germany, The Netherlands, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Poland, Switzerland, the Czech Republic, Japan, Thailand, Hong Kong, China, Brazil, Australia, Indonesia and India; finances acquisitions and business expansion; owns stock in companies in retail, financial services, telecommunications, healthcare, food and beverage, cable and broadcasting industries

RETAIL

Montgomery Ward

INSURANCE

health, accident and long-term care insurance, and investment and retirement plans, plus specialty insurance, principally excess workers' compensation, medical malpractice, errors and omissions coverage for insurance agents, libel and allied torts

TRANSPORTATION

owns/manages almost 900 aircraft, leases about 1 million cars and trucks, over 350,000 dry freight, refrigerated and double vans, about another 98,000 tractors, trucks and trailers through Penske Leasing (limited partnership), specialized trailers and marine shipping containers (with Sea Containers Ltd) and 190,000 railcars

APPLIANCES

GE, Hotpoint, Monogram, Profile and other brand name appliances; Light bulbs and lighting fixtures

AIRCRAFT ENGINES

For military and commercial planes (\$1.6 billion from aircraft engine sales to US military in 1999)

FINANCING & INSURANCE

Bringing in almost half of GE's annual revenues.

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

MR and CT scanners, x-ray, nuclear imaging and ultrasound machines

POWER SYSTEMS

Equipment for refineries, ammonia plants and nuclear reactors

INTERNATIONAL TV HOLDINGS

CNBC and A&E distributed in other countries National Geographic Worldwide (25% with 25% National Geographic TV and 50% News Corp) in 54 foreign countries Bravo International (25% with Cablevision)

AOL/TIME WARNER

MOVIES

Warner Bros. (75% w/25% AT&T), New Line Cinema, Fine Line Features; Castle Rock Entertainment; Warner Bros. joint ventures include Bel-Air Entertainment (w/Carroll), Village Roadshow Pictures, Gaylor Entertainment; and some HBO divisions; distribution arrangements with Alcon Entertainment, Morgan Creek Productions, Franchise Entertainment; library of MGM, RKO and pre-1950 Warner Bros. films

RETAIL

Warner Bros. Studio Stores (75% w/25% AT&T); Most will close in 2001

HOME VIDEO

Warner Home Video (75% w/25% AT&T); TVo (w/Philips and others)

MOVIE THEATERS

Movie Theaters: UCI (50% w/50% Viacom); WF Cinema Holdings, L.P. (50% w/ 50% Viacom) negotiating to buy WestStar theatres; Warner Bros. International Theaters

MAGAZINES

63 including the 3 best-selling: Time, Life and People; MAD Magazine, DC Comics (87.5% w/12.5% AT&T); American Express Publishing Corp. (ownership stakes);

PRODUCTION & DISTRIBUTION

New Line Television Warner Bros. Television (75% w/ 25% MediaOne/AT&T) Warner Bros. Television Animation (75% w/ 25% MediaOne/AT&T) Telepictures Productions (75% w/ 25% MediaOne/AT&T) Castle Rock Television HBO Independent Productions (75% w/ 25% MediaOne/AT&T)

FRANCHISES

12.9 million subscribers includes systems owned Time Warner and Advance Publications, Time Warner alone and TimeWarner 75% with 25% MediaOne/ATT

SPORTS

Atlanta Braves, Atlanta Hawks, Atlanta Thrashers, Goodwill Games; Philips Arena

THEME PARKS

Sea World and Movie World in Australia (w/Village Roadshow Ltd., 78%)

OTHER

Warner Bros. Consumer Products (75% w/25% AT&T) licenses include rights to DC Comics, Hanna-Barbera characters and Harry Potter; Turner Learning (instructional programs for classrooms with programming from CNN, TNT, TCM, and Cartoon Network)

INTERNATIONAL CHANNELS:

Owns outright or equity stakes in: TBS and TBN in about 120 countries; international versions of CNN, Cartoon Network, HBO and Cinemax; music video channels in Germany, Hungary, Asia; Czech Republic, Slovak Republic, Poland, Romania; Star Channel

SATELLITE TV

Primestar (with TCI/AT&T, Advance Publications, MediaOne/AT&T, Comcast and Cox) Sale pending to General Motors

TELEPHONY

Time Warner Telecom (37%)

MAGAZINES

TV Guide, (TV Guide Ultimate Cable and Celebrity Dish) The Weekly Standard; distribution unit handles also publications from Bauer Publishing L.P., Reader's Digest, PRIMEDIA, Weider Publishing, Consumer Union, Essence Communications, Emms Corporation, McGraw-Hill, The World Almanac (all 44% w/ 44% AT&T)

PRODUCTION/PROGRAMMING:

Warner Bros. Television, Telepictures Productions, Castle Rock Entertainment/Witt Thomas Productions, Warner Bros. Television Animation (Hanna Barbera and Looney Toons); also, some HBO divisions, Warner Library of 6,500 feature films, 32,000 television titles and 13,500 cartoons; stake in Oxygen Media

NEWS CORPORATION

OTHER

Twentieth Century Fox Licensing

WEB

News, sports, entertainment and game sites related to News Corp properties; stakes in other sites including ChinaByte.com, broadsystem.com; www.tvguide.com; (44% w/ 44% AT&T) online program listings, movie database, soap opera news & updates, etc.

VENUES

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BOOKS

News America imprint include HarperCollins, Regan Books, William Morrow and Avon; Zondervan, largest commercial Bible imprint

NEWSPAPERS

NY Post; In UK: The Sun, the Times, News of the World; The Australian, The Telegraph, The Herald Sun, and others in Australia, New Zealand and the South Pacific

MUSIC

Festival, Rawkus and Mushroom labels

PLAYS

Broadway productions of The Lion King and Beauty and the Beast

RADIO

50 Stations ABC Radio Network; Radio Disney; ESPN Radio (80% w/20% Hearst)

RESORTS

Walt Disney World, Disney Cruise Line, Disney Vacation Club (resorts in Key West, Vero Beach, FL, and Hilton Head), Disneyland, Disney MGM Studios, Tokyo Disney (royalties on revenues), Disneyland Paris (39%), Hong Kong Disneyland (43% w/57% Hong Kong government) (planned for 2005), Spruce Goose and Queen Mary

TV STATIONS

Reaches 24% of U.S. households WABC New York KABC Los Angeles WLS Chicago WPGV Philadelphia KGO San Francisco KTRK Houston WTVY Raleigh/Durham KFSN Fresno, CA WJRT Flint, MI WTVG Toledo, OH

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Hyperion, Miramax Books, Disney Children's Book Group, ESPN Books, ABC Daytime Press

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Discover, Family Fun, Disney Adventures, ESPN The Magazine (80% Disney w/20% Hearst), Talk (80% Disney w/20% Hearst), FLIX, BET and BET on Jazz.

NETWORKS

ABC, Disney Channel; Toon Disney; Soap Net; ESPN, ESPN2, ESPN Classic, ESPNNEWS and ESPN Regional Television (all 80% w/20% Hearst); A&E, History Channel and Biography Channel (all 37.5% w/ 37.5% Hearst and 25% GE); Lifetime and Lifetime Movie Network (50% w/50% Hearst); E! Entertainment Television and Style (40% Disney, 40% Comcast, 20% AT&T);

INTERNATIONAL CHANNELS:

Disney (in Taiwan, the U.K., Australia, Malaysia, France, the Middle East, Spain, Italy, Germany, Latin America; other planned for Brazil, Scandinavia and Central Europe); programs, owns or has equity interests in 19 ESPN channels in more than 140 countries; equity stakes in: HBO Ole, HBO Brasil, TVA (Brazilian programmer and distribution company); Multicanal channels in Spain (50% w/50% ATT);

STATIONS

ABC.com, ABCNews.com, Oscar.com (with the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences), Mr. Showbiz, Disney.com, ESPN.com, NFL.com, NBA.com, Sports.com (61%); education toy retailer; Soccermet.com; ToysTicker, supplier of real-time sports news and scores

INTERNATIONAL TV

The Disney Channel International Equity stakes in international versions of ESPN and HBO; NetStar, The Sports Network, Les Reseau des Sports

OTHER THEMED ENTERTAINMENT

ESPN Zone: (80% with Hearst) sports-themed restaurants; DisneyQuest: virtual, interactive adventure complex; WDW Resort, Chicago, Philadelphia

MUSIC

American Recordings, Asylum Atlantic, Atlantic Classics, Atlantic Jazz, Atlantic Nashville, Atlantic Theater, Big Beat, Breaking, Coalition, Curb, East West, Elektra, Giant, Igloo, Lava, Mesa/Bluemoon, Maverick (w/Madonna), Modern, Nonesuch, Qwest, 143 (joint venture), Reprise, Reprise Nashville, Revolution, Sire, Strickly Rhythm (joint venture), Teldec, Warner Nashville, Warner Alliance, Warner Resound, Warner Sunset, Other interests include: Warner/Chappell Music (publishing), WEA Inc. (sales, distribution and manufacturing), Ivy Hill Corp. (printing and packaging), Joint Ventures music Sound Exchange (w/Sony), and Heartland Music (50%); majority interest in Alternative Distribution Alliance ("independent distribution company"); Quincy Jones Entertainment Co. (37.5% w/ 12.5% AT&T and 50% Quincy Jones) Columbia House (50% w/50% Sony); Warner Bros. publications (publishes printed music)

WEB

America Online (26 million customers), CompuServe (3 million customers), Netscape (software and portal), digitalcity.com, moviefone.com, iamaze.com, quack.com, and mapquest.com; ICQ and AOL Instant Messenger (messaging services); Stakes in: Spinner.com, Winamp and SHOUTcast (music sites); Earthnoise.com, Kinkos.com; joint partnerships in Europe (50% w/Bertelsmann; sale pending); in Australia (50% w/ AAPT Limited); in Latin America (w/Cineros Group and Banco Itau) RoadRunner (being restructured to give AOL/TV majority stake in partnership w/ AT&T and Advance-NewsHouse) Cable modems - 1 million customers

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Warner Books (imprints include: Warner Vision, The Mysterious Press, Warner Aspect and Warner Treasures), Little, Brown and Co. (imprints include: Bullfinch Press and Back Bay Books), Time-Life Books, Oxmoor House, Leisure Arts and Sunset Books

BOOK CLUBS:

Book-of-the-Month Club, Paperback Book Club, Children's Book-of-the-Month-Club, History Book Club and Money Book Club

WEB

News Corp. controls about half the US coupon business through stakes in in-store and printed coupon businesses; newspaper inserts in 630 U.S. and 140 Canadian Sunday newspapers; telemarketing

MOVIES

Twentieth Century Fox, Fox Searchlight, Fox Animation Studios, Twentieth Century Fox International (all 83%), Fox Studios Australia (w/Lend Lease Corporation), distribution agreements w/ Entertainment and MGM

VIDEO

Fox Home Entertainment (83%)

INTERNATIONAL TV

Channels in Europe: Vox (49.9%), TM3 (60%), Stream (35%) In Latin America: Canal Fox, Cinecanal (20.2%), Telecine (12.5%), FOX Sports Americas (50%) In Asia: Channel V (with others) STAR News: Zee India TV and Zee TV (50%); STAR Sports (50%) Phoenix Chinese Channel (45%) Phoenix Movies (45%) Viva Cinema (50%) various satellite joint ventures including STAR in Asia and FOXTEL in Australia

INTERNATIONAL TV

Twentieth Century Fox Television and Fox Television Studios (83%), Fox Television Studios Regency Television (w/New Regency Enterprises), TV Guide Television Productions (44% w/ 44% AT&T); XYZ Entertainment Pty. Ltd. cable television programming in the Asia-Pacific region (50% ATT w/ 50% Foxtel partnership between News Corp., Telstra Corp., and Publishing and Broadcasting Ltd.); Main Event Television (33.3% ATT w/ 33.3% each Optus and Foxtel [News Corp., Telstra Corp., and Publishing and Broadcasting Ltd.]) produces Main Event and adults only PPV channels in Australia

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THE WALT DISNEY COMPANY

MOVIES

Walt Disney Pictures, Touchstone Pictures, Hollywood Pictures, Miramax Film Corp., Dimension, Buena Vista International (international distribution arm); HOME VIDEO Distributed 3 of the 10 top selling videos, including the top 2 titles, and 3 of the 10 top rentals in 2000

MUSIC

Walt Disney, Hollywood, Mammoth, and Lyric Street Records

PROFESSIONAL SPORTS

Mighty Ducks and the Anaheim Angels

LICENSING

Licenses characters for clothes, toys, gifts, home furnishing and housewares, stationery, sporting goods, books and magazines

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